



PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

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Group Art Unit: 2882

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For: EXPOSURE METHOD AND APPARATUS, AND DEVICE PRODUCTION METHOD

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION  
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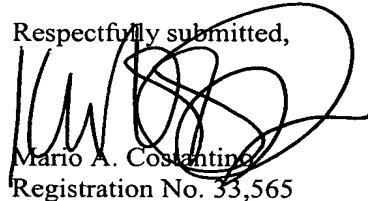
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